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DIARY
Executive Officer, DD/I

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1. Learned from 25X1A9a that General Cabell will be available first to DD/I for a briefing both by 25X1A9a and by the offices. We drew up a schedule which totaled 12 hours and provides either one or two hours to each AD. 25X1A9a has made it clear, and I have passed this on to 25X1A9a that we considered this a "once over lightly" and that we will want more time later with General Cabell. We learned on very short notice that this schedule will start at 2:00 o'clock Friday and I have arranged that the time from 2:00 to 4:00 will be spent by General Cabell with 25X1A9a and from 4:00 to 5:00 with 25X1A9a in 25X1A9a O/CI. This will constitute the first half of 25X1A9a presentation and will be devoted to the production of current intelligence. 25X1A9a will get a second hour to cover the functions of the Special Center later. Also an entirely separate session should be set up to cover USCIB. I am informing the other IADs of the imminence of their briefings of General Cabell.
 2. 25X1A9a called regarding 25X6A's request for a separate TO for the 25X1A9a to be based in 25X1A9a. I learned that this was the subject of a staff study which has been followed by 25X1A9a. 25X1A9a agreed to wait for 25X1A9a return for his answer.
 3. I learned that 25X1A9a will be in town February 2nd and 25X1A9a will be in touch with Mr. Tighe of INS. I so informed 25X1A9a of O/CI so that they can arrange through Tighe (who is administratively cleared) for the necessary O/CI debriefing.
 4. 25X1A9a has received a personal letter from 25X1X6 25X1A9a who offers to visit CIA for a debriefing on his recent world trip. At 25X1A9a request, I have referred this to 25X1A9a who will set up an "Ambassador's briefing" for him. 25X1A9a will keep me informed of the progress on this, the briefing to be on February 4th in the Director's Conference Room. As 25X1X6 is not a Government official, I informed 25X1A9a of this debriefing and he asks to be kept informed also.
 4. I am arranging for space for 25X1A9a in that Mr. Amory will be using 25X1A9a desk in these offices. I discussed this with 25X1A9a Special Assistant to DD/A, who offers desk space in one 25X1A9a

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of their offices until something can be worked out with DD/P for the room now occupied by [REDACTED] will be here only during the week of 2 February and will then be in Germany for three or four weeks so that we have ample time to make permanent arrangements as long as [REDACTED] is housed for this one week. We are arranging for adequate telephone and "squawk box" connections for Mr. Amory in Room 221.

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